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Laura Bingham & Mrs turn up in a day or so. Rockefeller Plaza Nov 10th alumni
Helen sails for the East on Nov 10th.
I see
to the Randis

Thursday St Luke's day 1934.

Dearest Rene

Lets get back to the old foolscap it leaves a fellow more elbow room than these dammed typewriter scrawls note paper. — I was so pleased to get your letter & I do like it most awfully, — what a glorious joke to have all the bertha up there Dear Nicky — the night he pulled-up a cat I think — she's that kind of girl — I always think she ought to wear her tights really. when she does not I think — I can just see Tony Baird & his umbrella — what a picture — well — Im learned — as it is a really good one. did you think Helen look nice? — quite a lot of nice dear girls at the Palace. for us — I dreamed last night — my God is a most extraordinary she came into the Dentley at Brooks in black velvet & spoke in her clear bell voice. "in auntie room they found themselves in each other arms" and Dilly cried the Hawks' daught was fry some meat on the gas stove & stood by with an air of disapproval & the cane in a stroke chairs — all very odd. I hear for dear Peter that the scheme idea is formulating — well well.

Sorry I am didn't enjoy the Algiers do — well many — thanks. From conversation. Did I give you Eric. Oh I'm tell him how much the

What do you think will come of it— of course you can't beg the foundation of a Liberal education to any. I suggested to P. that I should put in for a professorship.
I understand Manya & Ruth went off to Day
I do wish I could have seen her again.
– I have no plans yet – it's a ticklish
question if I shall be able to stay at-
tached to his in case I go to the Tug – & I may
not go abroad till the new year – but-
I'll tell you all about it when I see you.
I do feel horrible – I did want to
get you down here this time & now I'm
afraid it's no use – because it is
in a rather hectic state of setting things
ready to go & some chaps are coming
next week & I shall have to leave
just when the end of the month –
we ought to have fixed it earlier – it
would have been so good – but you do
understand – don't you – how I can-
not well ask in the existing condition.*
Tell Joan that Stella always has all her
slips clips, vouchers, tickets etc for
sleepers on train for Kantara to Lydda.
which goes to show you have the
most attaching way about – disliked
by us shoddy chaps! I've been reading
St Thomas this morning about the
agility of the resurrected body & what not
you know it is difficult not to feel
that Pio was compiling a hasty

* Also all my things in heaps yet to be sorted & packed & I'm very tired with it & somehow I'm very tired. Writing letters are about the most difficult things I have to do.

big mass of stuff out of practically no
real data — and hazy just making out
a case. — + seeming absurdly materialistic
+ trying to screw things down by a cit-
of jugglery with words — anyway I felt so
he seems on talking about the essential
to Rivers that 'flesh + bones' constitute
essentially 'body' + that we shall have
organs of sex + not use them + a
mouth + not eat. because — he says the
'integrity of the body demands these parts.
He says also that at the last judgment
in the new heaven + earth we have no.
animals or trees + what not because they are
not 'simple' but 'embodied' but although
the elements of mind + fire + what not
+ the planets remain — this surely is
just mediaval physics + not mine.
We can concern the existence of 'bone' or 'flesh'
can we, isolated from flora + fauna.
+ the rest ?? One does seem to know
what 'the resurrection of the body' means.
But I do think this attempt at tabulation.
pretty absurd — It seems to betray
bodies in one man
bodies a poetic statement + philosophic
statement or sanity — I wonder what
it is.

Late in evening.

Helen gives a concert in Alma
+ four musicians + a woman pianist
have turned up for the night —
I cross out face scholastic + Co
+ Great Hall so his stays here

They are all coming back after with stacks of Almick chairs for a supper. — I can't decide whether I go & help or stay with Jim just opens Bede's Eccl. Hist. & looks & behaves what do I strike immediate but how the Catholic faith insists on Flesh & Bones resurrection became of our Lords body being flesh & blood after his rising he took a Tomb - so I suppose the Thomas they is. almost — I answered for all that. I must say to tricky Jill had letter from young Nicky - she says how he liked boy at Eyots & says shes done her hair differently with a curly fringe * + want me to go & see it & a baby — & that my godson is a nice baby. & how all the babies at Eight are so large. & how she likes her own best because it is her own which is indeed a positive Thomist argument. It a nice letter though, & I don't deserve it as I've never written to her since the birth of him.

They say Barbara's Bond was as neatly hacked as the Pork sardines., now how Ben has a devised series of sick & B's, ocs one of Skeaping. J.—

the happiest number my dear brethren.

I tried to go to mass today at Almick but it was at 7.30 so was impos — with [illegible] personals & oct visits! — I've discovered

* Slight humus touch

Dear Thus is one kind of Consent Church or all is a stubborn celtic Jim & not very but I

this

Love. J

Almick fine misery of Saints to Peters yes

with pair of now — I

while I write arms - I've hurt chin. With my the wire on many nights. Ever so much love to Jim